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Group No. 1643
Applicant: Sheena M. Loosmoore and Yan-Ping Yang
CO-EXPRESSION OF RECOMBINANT PROTEINS

Please find enclosed an Information Disclosure Statement and copies of the references listed therein with respect to each of the references cited in the specification. The items indicated by asterisks will follow shortly.

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